

## PATENT

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**Applicants** 

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Application No.

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For

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROVIDING END-TO-END

LEVEL OF SERVICE IN MULTIPLE TRANSPORT

PROTOCOL ENVIRONMENTS (As Amended)

Examiner

Jeffrey R. Swearingen

Art Unit

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Docket No.

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Date

April 11, 2005

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

**AMENDMENT** 

## **INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

## Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Office Action dated October 21, 2004, please extend the period of time for response 3 months, to expire on April 21, 2005. Enclosed are a Petition for an Extension of Time and the requisite fee. Please amend the application as shown on the following pages: